

California OES

Weekly Weather Threat Briefing

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Day 1: Primary Hazards: No Significant Impacts

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Key Points

08/21 – 08/27

Thursday

- Thunderstorm activity will remain possible across southeast CA but no significant impacts are expected

Friday-Wednesday

- No significant impacts expected



California OES Impact Threat Matrix

Aug 21, 2014 – Aug 27, 2014

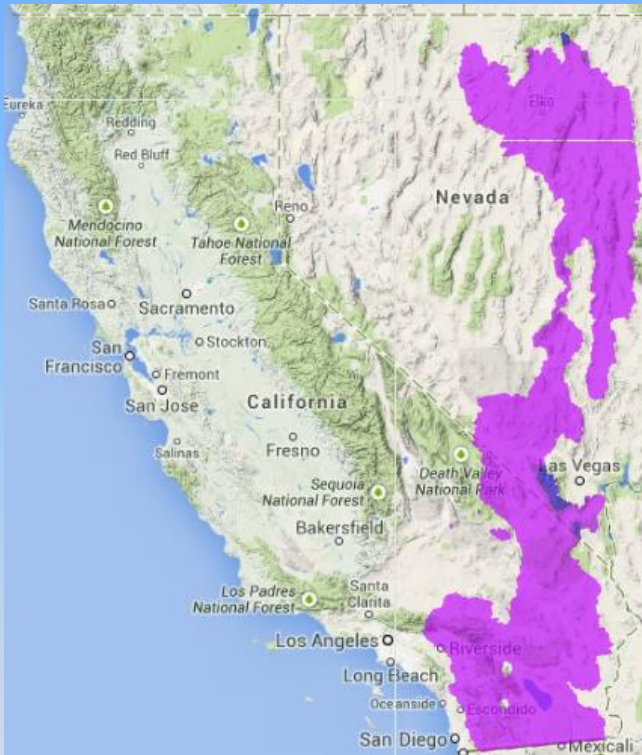
DAY/THREAT	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED
Fire Weather							
Winds							
Extreme Cold							
Snow							
Heavy Rain/ Flash Flooding							
River Flooding							
Severe Weather							
Heat							
Tropical							

-  High Threat
-  Moderate Threat
-  Slight Threat
-  No Discernible Threat



Days 1-3 Precipitation Forecast

Precipitation (inches)



Thursday



Friday and Saturday

Only light precipitation expected over SE CA from the departing upper low Thu.





2-Day Graphical Tropical Weather Outlook

National Hurricane Center Miami, Florida



Tropical Cyclone Activity in the East Pacific is NOT expected to have significant impacts for CA in the next week.

All Disturbances

Satellite Image from 3:52 am PDT Aug 20

ATLANTIC OUTLOOK

Tropical Storm Lowell

Tropical Storm Karina

5:00 am PDT
Wed Aug 20 2014

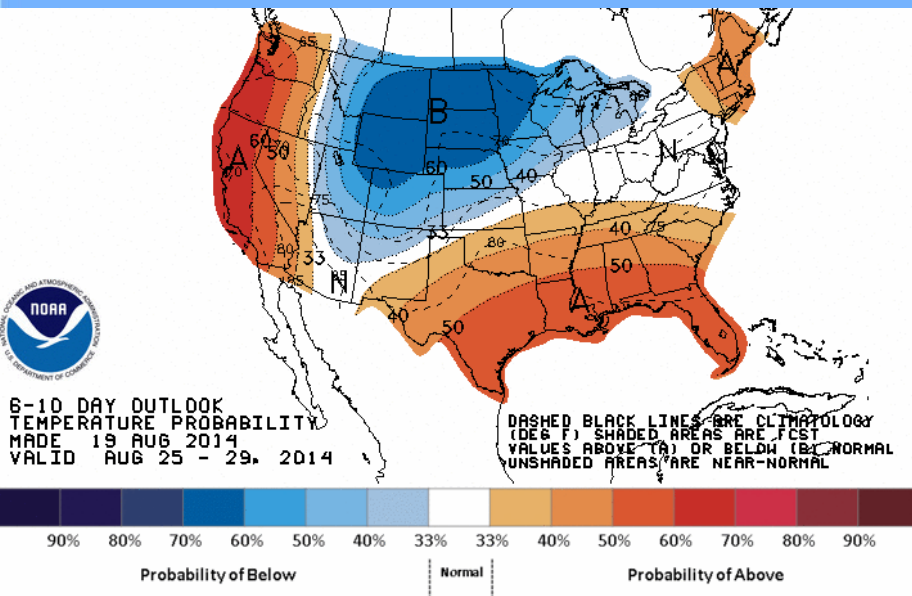
Current Disturbances and 2-Day Cyclone Formation Chance: < 30% 30-50% > 50%

Tropical or Sub-Tropical Cyclone: Depression Storm Hurricane

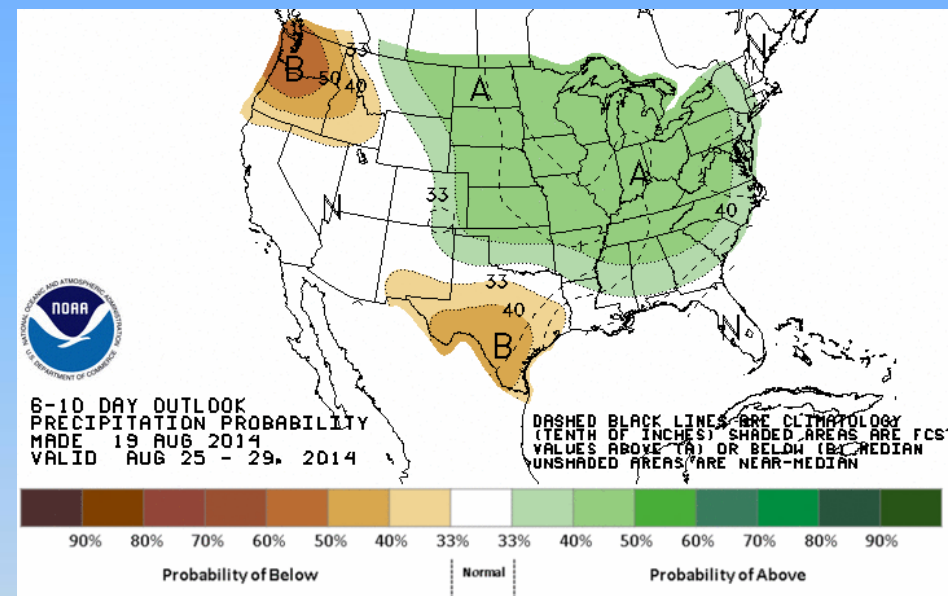
Post-Tropical Cyclone Remnants

6-10 Day Outlook

Temperature



Precipitation

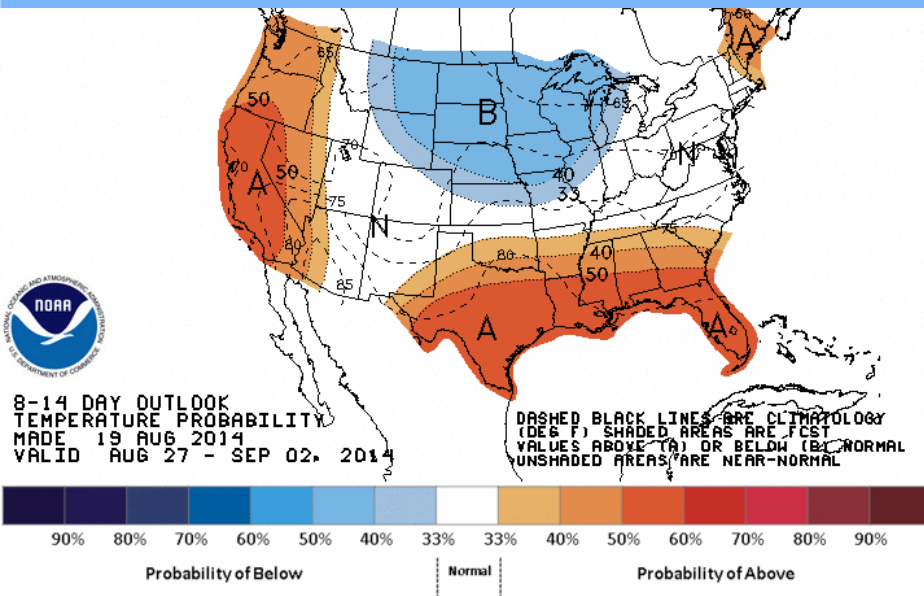


Increased probability for above normal temperatures across much of CA during the Aug 25th-29th. No strong signal exists for above or below normal rainfall Aug 25th-29th, except across extreme northern CA where a slight signal toward below normal rainfall.

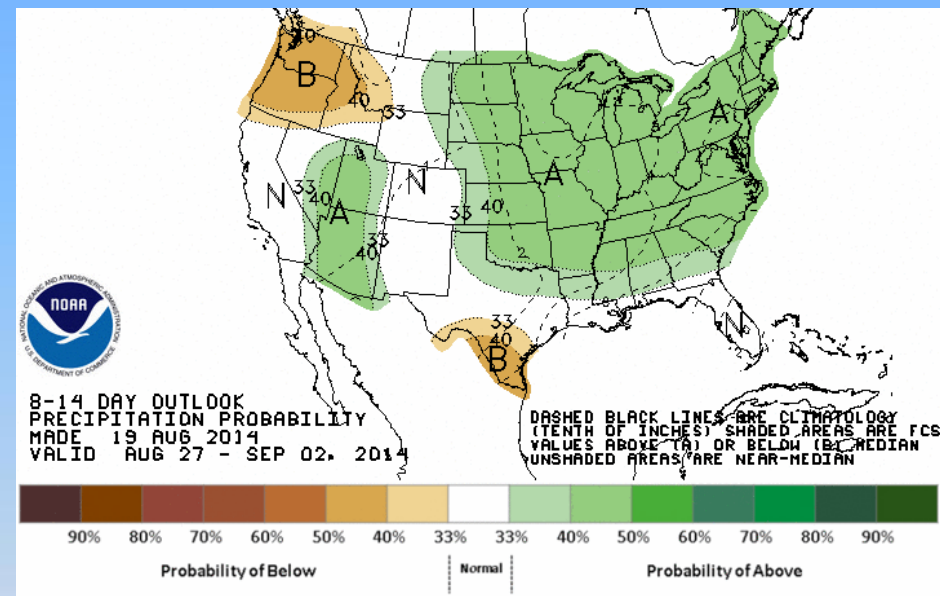


8-14 Day Outlook

Temperature



Precipitation



Increased probability for above normal temperatures across much of CA during the Aug 27th - Sep 2nd. Slightly increased probabilities for below normal rainfall in extreme northern CA, and above normal rainfall in extreme southeast CA Aug 27th - Sep 2nd.



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